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METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF
POLYETHER ALCOHOLS FOR
POLYURETHANE SYNTHESIS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

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SIR:

Responsive to the Final Office Action dated May 5, 2008, an RCE being filed herewith, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment, Declaration under 37 CFR 1.132 of Dr. Achim Löffler (Löffler Declaration) **submitted herewith**, and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Discussion of the Amendment begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.